

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

A system may include several nodes coupled by an inter-node network. Each node includes several active devices, a memory subsystem, and an address network and a data network respectively configured to convey address packets and data packets between the active devices and the memory subsystem. The memory subsystem included in one of the nodes is configured to maintain a response indication indicating whether the memory subsystem should send a data packet corresponding to a coherency unit in response to receiving an address packet requesting an access right to the coherency unit from an active device in the same node. The node is also configured to store a node identifier for the coherency unit. The node identifier identifies which of the nodes that has the coherency unit is in a modified global access state.